FINANCIAL REPORT WITH SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Year Ended December 31, 2005/

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December 31, 2005 March 31, 2006 May 31, 2006 We have audited the financial statements of this local unit of government and rendered an opinion on financial statements prepared in accordance with the Statements of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) and the Uniform Reporting Format for Financial Statements for Counties and Local Units of Government in Michigan by the Michigan Department of Treasury.									
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yes no 7. The local unit has violated the Constitutional requirement (Article 9, Section 24) to fund current year earned pension benefits (normal costs) in the current year. If the plan is more than 100% funded and the overfunding credits are more than the normal cost requirement, no contributions are due (paid during they year).									
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	Reports on individual federal financial assistance programs (program audits).					X			
Single Audit Reports (ASLGU).									
Certified Public Accountant (Firm Name)									
Campbell, K	(usterer & (Co., P.C.			City		State	Zip	
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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

March 31, 2006

To the Township Board Charter Township of Polkton Ottawa County, Michigan

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, business type activities and each major fund of Charter Township of Polkton, Ottawa County, Michigan as of and for the year ended December 31, 2005, which collectively comprise the Township's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of Charter Township of Polkton's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, business type activities and each major fund of the Charter Township of Polkton, Ottawa County, Michigan as of December 31, 2005, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows where applicable, of these activities and funds for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The Management's Discussion and Analysis and budgetary comparison information listed in the table of contents are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management, regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the Township's basic financial statements. The other supporting information described in the accompanying table of contents is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied by us in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, it is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

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CAMPBELL, KUSTERER & CO., P.C.

Certified Public Accountants

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

For the year ended December 31, 2005

The Management's Discussion and Analysis report of the Charter Township of Polkton covers the Township's financial performance during the year ended December 31, 2005.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Our financial status remained stable over the last year. Net Assets on 12-31-2005 totaled \$871,186.15 for governmental activities and \$227,267.87 for business activities (water). Overall total capital assets remained approximately the same as 2004.

Overall revenues were \$745,569.71(\$699,592.63 from governmental activities and \$45,977.08 from business-type activities.) There were slight increases in all income accounts, the most notable were increases in the tax category and in the interest category over the 2004 income. Government activities major road improvement this year was Oriole Drive \$300,460.00. State revenue sharing remained the same as 2004. Business activities (water fund) had no major investments.

Taxable value increased by 6.2% over 2004.

The General Fund long-term debt for the sidewalk as owed to Ottawa County Road Commission has a year end balance of \$79,862.28.

OVERVIEW OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This annual report consists of three parts, management's discussion and analysis, the basic financial statements and required supplementary information. The basic financial statements include two different kinds of statements that present different views of the Township and the notes to the financial statements.

The first two statements are entity-wide financial statements and provide both long and short-term information about our overall financial status. These statements present governmental and business-type activities.

The remaining statements are fund financial statements, which focus on individual parts of the Township in more detail.

The notes to the financial statements explain some of the information in the statements and provide more detailed data.

Required supplementary information further explains and supports the financial statement information with budgetary comparisons.

ENTITY-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The entity-wide statements report information about the Township as a whole using accounting methods used by private companies. The statement of net assets includes all of the Township's assets and liabilities. The statement of activities records all of the current year revenues and expenses regardless of when received or paid.

The two entity-wide statements report net assets and how they have changed. Net assets are the difference between the entity's assets and liabilities and this is one method to measure the entity's financial health or position.

Over time increases/decreases in the entity's net assets are an indicator of whether financial position is improving or deteriorating.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS For the year ended December 31, 2005

ENTITY-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

To assess overall health of the entity you may also have to consider additional factors such as tax base changes, facility conditions and personnel changes.

All of the activities of the Township are reported as governmental activities and business-type activities. These include the General Fund, Road Fund, Public Improvement Fund, Water Fund, Fire Fund and the Senior Services Fund.

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Township has the following types of funds:

Governmental Funds: Some of the Township's activities are included in the governmental fund category. These funds are presented on the modified accrual basis, which is designed to show short-term financial information. The Township's governmental funds include the General Fund, Fire Fund, Road Fund, Senior Services Fund and Public Improvement Fund.

Business-Type Funds: The Township has a Water Fund.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE TOWNSHIP AS A WHOLE

We continue to pay our water loans as assessments come in. The original 20 year loan taken out in 1998 of \$395,000 is now down to \$280,000. We did not have a water rate increase this year.

Our cash position in both the governmental and business-type activities remains strong.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE TOWNSHIP'S FUNDS

The General Fund pays for most of the Township's governmental services.

The Fire Fund continues with one (1) mill which just covers expenses.

The Landfill continues to be a major source of income for the Township at \$114,266.00.

The Water Fund incurred \$28,836.46 in operating expenses.

CAPITAL ASSET AND LONG-TERM DEBT ACTIVITY

Governmental activities invested \$1,359.00 in capital assets.

Business-type activities invested \$0 in capital assets.

Governmental activities paid \$5,370.27 of principal on long-term debt.

Business-type activities paid \$20,000.00 on water bond principal.

KNOWN FACTORS AFFECTING FUTURE OPERATIONS

The future of state revenue sharing is uncertain and it represents 32% of our income. Our tax revenue base grew at a 6.2% rate in taxable values. Some areas in the Township, however have shown increasing pressure for development and therefore the infrastructure which goes along with development. The Ottawa County Farms Landfill continues to be a revenue source for the Township.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

For the year ended December 31, 2005

CONTACTING THE TOWNSHIP'S MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our taxpayers, creditors, investors and customers with a general overview of the Township's finances and to demonstrate the Township's accountability for the revenues it receives. If you have any questions concerning this report please contact the Township Clerk or the Township Treasurer at 616-837-6876.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS December 31, 2005

	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total
ASSETS:			
CURRENT ASSETS:			
Cash in bank	415 204 68	22 314 66	437 519 34
Investments	483 607 59	119 824 49	603 432 08
Accounts receivable	2 964 00	2 878 93	5 842 93
Taxes receivable	235 424 38	7 938 15	243 362 53
Special assessments receivable		99 100 46	99 100 46
Prepaid expenses	1 137 67		1 137 67
Total Current Assets	1 138 338 32	252 056 69	1 390 395 01
NON-CURRENT ASSETS:			
Capital Assets	324 975 00	471 511 00	796 486 00
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(131 999 00)	(103 730 00)	(235 729 00)
Total Non-current Assets	192 976 00	367 781 00	560 757 00
TOTAL ASSETS	1 331 314 32	619 837 69	1 951 152 01
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS:			
LIABILITIES:			
CURRENT LIABILITIES:			
Accounts payable	2 531 42	1 819 13	4 350 55
Deferred revenue	<u>377 734 47</u>	<u>110 750 69</u>	488 485 16
Total Current Liabilities	380 265 89	112 569 82	492 835 71
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES:			
Contracts payable	79 862 28	280 000 00	359 862 28
Total Non-current Liabilities	79 862 28	280 000 00	359 862 28
Total Liabilities	460 128 17	392 569 82	852 697 99
NET ASSETS:			
Invested in Capital Assets,			
Net of Related Debt	193 429 00	87 781 00	281 210 00
Unrestricted	677 757 15	139 486 87	<u>817 244 02</u>
Total Net Assets	<u>871 186 15</u>	227 267 87	1 098 454 02
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	<u>1 331 314 32</u>	619 837 69	<u>1 951 152 01</u>

GOVERNMENT-WIDE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES Year ended December 31, 2005

		Program Revenue	Governmental Activities Net (Expense)
	Expenses	Charges for Services	Revenue and Changes in Net Assets
FUNCTIONS/PROGRAMS Governmental Activities:			
Legislative	75 594 60	-	(75 594 60)
General government	116 044 20	24 633 00	(91 411 20)
Public safety	144 819 94	33 114 00	(111 705 94)
Public works	326 087 46	103 908 34	(222 179 12)
Other	1 406 73	_	(1 406 73)
Total Governmental Activities	663 952 93	161 655 34	(502 297 59)
Business-Type Activities:			
Water	<u>36 086 46</u>	42 139 32	
Total Business-Type Activities	<u>36 086 46</u>	42 139 32	
Total Government	700 039 39	203 794 66	(502 297 59)
General Revenues:			
Transfers			(10 400 00)
Property taxes			317 199 02
State revenue sharing			167 324 27
Interest			27 832 19
Miscellaneous			<u>25 581 81</u>
Total General Revenues			527 537 29
Change in net assets			25 239 70
Net assets, beginning of year			845 946 45
Net Assets, End of Year			871 186 15

Business-Type	
Activities	Total
Net (Expense)	Net (Expense)
Revenue and	Revenue and
Changes in Net	Changes in Net
Assets	Assets
-	(75 594 60)
-	(91 411 20)
-	(111 705 94)
-	(222 179 12)
-	(1 406 73)
	(502 297 59)
6 052 86	6 052 86
6 052 86	6 052 86
6 052 86	(496 244 73)
10 400 00 - - - 3 837 76	317 199 02 167 324 27 31 669 95 25 581 81
14 237 76	541 775 05
20 290 62	45 530 32
206 977 25	1 052 923 70
227 267 87	1 098 454 02

BALANCE SHEET – GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS December 31, 2005

A t -	General	Road	Fire	Other
<u>Assets</u>				
Cash in bank Investments Accounts receivable Prepaid expenses Due from other funds Total Assets	274 032 26 388 320 05 2 964 00 - 102 813 80 - 768 130 11	39 549 50 - - 156 653 32 - 196 202 82	- 16 571 18 - - - - 79 436 74 - - 96 007 92	39 166 86 - 1 137 67 18 716 27
		100 202 02	30 001 32	<u>59 020 80</u>
Liabilities and Fund Equity				
Liabilities: Accounts payable Deferred revenue Total liabilities	2 531 42 102 813 80 105 345 22	156 653 32 156 653 32	79 436 74 79 436 74	- <u>19 853 94</u> 19 853 94
Fund equity: Fund balances: Unreserved:	000 704 00	00.540.55		
Undesignated Total fund equity	662 784 89 662 784 89	39 549 50 39 549 50	16 571 18 16 571 18	39 166 86 39 166 86
Total Liabilities and Fund Equity	<u>768 130 11</u>	196 202 82	<u>96 007 92</u>	59 020 80

RECONCILIATION OF BALANCE SHEET OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS December 31, 2005

TOTAL FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

758 072 43

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets are different because –

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the governmental funds balance sheet:

Capital assets at cost
Accumulated depreciation

324 975 00

(131 999 00)

Long-term debt liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the governmental funds:

Contract payable

(79 862 28)

TOTAL NET ASSETS - GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES

871 186 15

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

Year ended December 31, 2005

	General	Road	Fire	Other
Revenues:		4.7.040.04	75 007 00	40.746.00
Property taxes	75 524 30	147 919 94	75 007 80	18 746 98
Licenses and permits	33 114 00	-	•	-
State revenue sharing	161 954 00	5 370 27	-	-
Charges for services:				
Property tax administration	22 883 00	-	-	-
Landfill	101 910 83	•	-	-
Interest	19 629 06	5 889 67	1 132 04	1 181 42
Rents	1 750 00	-	-	-
Special assessments	1 997 51	-	•	=
Miscellaneous	25 581 81			-
Total revenues	444 344 51	159 179 88	<u>76 139 84</u>	19 928 40
Expenditures:				
Legislative:				
Township Board	75 594 60	-	-	-
General government:				
Supervisor	12 900 00	-	-	-
Elections	1 191 38	-	•	-
Assessor	17 799 81	•	-	•
Clerk	17 315 87	-	-	-
Board of Review	991 52	-	-	•
Treasurer	19 488 73	-	-	•
Building and grounds	7 611 21	-	-	-
Cemetery	11 600 00	•	-	•
Public safety:				
Police protection	16 173 69	-	-	-
Fire protection	-	-	69 568 66	_
Ambulance	24 480 00	-	-	-
Protective inspection	29 362 00	-	-	•
Planning Commission	4 012 27	-	-	-
Zoning Board of Appeals	1 223 32	_	-	-
Public works:	1 220 02			
Highways and streets	21 384 48	300 460 07	-	-
Street lighting	2 393 66	-	_	_
Drains	1 848 95	_	_	-
Other:	1 040 33			
Payroll taxes	1 406 73	_	_	_
Senior services	1 700 75		_	18 746 98
	1 359 00	-		10 740 90
Capital outlay	1 339 00	E 270 27	-	-
Debt service		5 370 27		
Total expenditures	<u>268 137 22</u>	305 830 34	69 568 66	<u>18 746 98</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues				
over expenditures	176 207 29	(146 650 46)	6 571 18	1 181 42

Total
317 199 02 33 114 00 167 324 27
22 883 00 101 910 83 27 832 19 1 750 00 1 997 51 25 581 81
699 592 63
75 594 60
12 900 00 1 191 38 17 799 81 17 315 87 991 52 19 488 73 7 611 21 11 600 00
16 173 69 69 568 66 24 480 00 29 362 00 4 012 27 1 223 32
321 844 55 2 393 66 1 848 95
1 406 73 18 746 98 1 359 00 5 370 27
662 283 20
37 309 43

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES – GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS Year ended December 31, 2005

	<u>General</u>	Road	Fire	Other
Other financing sources (uses): Transfers in Transfers out Total other financing sources (uses)	(10 400 00) (10 400 00)	-	10 000 00 - 10 000 00	(10 000 00) (10 000 00)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other sources over expenditures and other uses	165 807 29	(146 650 46)	16 571 18	(8 818 58)
Fund balances, January 1	496 977 60	186 199 96	***	47 985 44
Fund Balances, December 31	662 784 89	39 549 50	16 571 18	<u>39 166 86</u>

Total

10 000 00
(20 400 00)
(10 400 00)

26 909 43

731 163 00

758 072 43

RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES Year ended December 31, 2005

NET CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

26 909 43

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:

Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures; in the Statement of Activities, these costs are allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation

Depreciation Expense Capital Outlay

(8 399 00) 1 359 00

Repayment of debt principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds, the repayment does not have an effect in the statement of activities but does reduce the debt balance in the statement of net assets.

Principal payments on long-term debt

<u>5 370 27</u>

CHANGE IN NET ASSETS OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES

25 239 70

STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS – BUSINESS-TYPE FUNDS December 31, 2005

	Water Fund
ASSETS:	
CURRENT ASSETS:	18 602 58
Cash in bank	119 824 49
Investments	2 878 93
Accounts receivable Special assessments receivable	99 100 46
Due from other funds	11 650 23
Total Current Assets	252 056 69
NON-CURRENT ASSETS:	471 511 00
Capital Assets	(103 730 00)
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(1,001,000)
Total Non-current Assets	<u>367 781 00</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	619 837 69
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS:	
LIABILITIES:	
CURRENT LIABILITIES:	
Accounts payable	1 819 13
Deferred revenue	110 750 69
Total Current Liabilities	112 569 82
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES:	
Contract payable	280 000 00
	280 000 00
Total Non-current Liabilities	200 000 00
Total Liabilities	392 569 82
NET ASSETS:	
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt	87 781 00
Unrestricted	139 486 87
Total Net Assets	227 267 87
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	<u>619 837 69</u>

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS – BUSINESS-TYPE FUNDS Year ended December 31, 2005

	<u>Water Fund</u>
OPERATING REVENUES:	
Charges for Services:	23 619 66
Water charges Special assessments	<u>18 519 66</u>
Total Operating Revenues	42 139 32
OPERATING EXPENSES:	
Water	19 406 46
Depreciation	9 430 00
Total Operating Expenses	<u>28 836 46</u>
Operating Income	13 302 86
NON-OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):	
Transfers from other funds	10 400 00
Interest income	3 837 76
Interest expense	(7 250 00)
Net Non-operating Revenues (Expenses)	6 987 76
Change in net assets	20 290 62
Net assets, beginning of year	206 977 25
Net Assets, End of Year	227 267 87

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS - BUSINESS-TYPE FUNDS Year ended December 31, 2005

	Water Fund
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Cash received from customers	42 809 05
Cash payments to supplies	(25 251 33)
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	<u> 17 557 72</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM NON-CAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES:	
Net borrowings (repayments) with other funds	(613 28)
Transfers (to) from other funds Net cash provided (used) by non-capital financing activities	10 400 00 9 786 72
	0 700 72
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES: Principal on contracts payable	(20 000 00)
Interest on contracts payable	(7 250 00)
Net cash provided (used) by capital and related financing activities	(27 250 00)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:	
Interest on investments	3 837 76
Net increase (decrease) in cash	3 932 20
Cash beginning of year	134 494 87
Cash End of Year	138 427 07
RECONCILIATION OF INCOME (LOSS) FROM OPERATIONS TO NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES:	
Income (loss) from operations	13 302 86
Adjustments to reconcile income (loss) from operations to net cash provided (used) by operating activities:	
Depreciation	9 430 00
(Increase) decrease in receivables	669 73
Increase (decrease) in payables	(5 844 87)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	<u> 17 557 72</u>

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2005

Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting policies of the Charter Township of Polkton, Ottawa County, Michigan, conform to generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governmental units.

Reporting Entity

The financial statements of the Township contain all the Township funds that are controlled by or dependent on the Township's executive or legislative branches.

The reporting entity is the Charter Township of Polkton. The Township is governed by an elected Township Board. As required by generally accepted accounting principles, these financial statements present the Township as the primary government.

Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements, (the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Changes in Net Assets) report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the primary government. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, normally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support.

The Statement of Activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program revenues include: (1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods, services or privileges provided by a given function; and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Taxes, intergovernmental payments and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported as general revenue.

Major individual governmental and business type funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenue in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met. When an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net assets are available, restricted resources are applied first.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recognized as soon as it is both measurable and available. Revenue is considered to be available if it is collected within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, expenditures relating to compensated absences, and claims and judgments are recorded only when payment is due.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2005

Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Joint Ventures

The Charter Township is a member of Coopersville-Polkton Cemetery Authority. The Charter Township appoints one member to the joint venture's governing board, which then approves the annual budget. The following financial information of the joint venture, obtained from their audit report, is as of June 30, 2004:

Total assets	68 527
Total liabilities	•
Total equity	68 527
Total revenue	35 906
Total expenditures	33 997
Increase (decrease) in fund balance	1 909
Total joint venture's outstanding debt	-

The Charter Township is also a member of Coopersville Polkton Area Fire Protection Authority. The Charter Township appoints two members to the joint venture's governing board, which then approves the annual budget. The following financial information of the joint venture, obtained from their audit report, is as of December 31, 2005:

Total assets	499 992
Total liabilities	-
Total net assets	499 992
Total revenue	159 245
Total expenditures	182 388
Increase (decrease) in net assets	(23 143)
Total joint venture's outstanding debt	(20 140)

Governmental Funds

General Fund

This fund is used to account for all financial transactions except those required to be accounted for in another fund. The fund includes the general operating expenditures of the local unit. Revenues are derived primarily from property taxes, state and federal distributions, grants, and other intergovernmental revenues.

Special Revenue Funds

These funds are used to account for specific governmental revenues requiring separate accounting because of legal or regulatory provisions or administrative action.

Fiduciary Fund

The Current Tax Collection Fund is used to account for assets held as an agent for others.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2005

Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Proprietary Funds

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the Water enterprise fund are charges to customers for services. The enterprise fund also recognizes as operating revenues the tap fees intended to recover the cost of connecting new customers to the system. Operating expenses for the enterprise fund include the cost of services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

Assets, Liabilities and Net Assets or Equity

Bank deposits and investments – Cash and cash equivalent investments include cash on hand, demand deposits, certificates of deposit and short-term investments with a maturity of three months or less when acquired. Investments are stated at fair value.

Receivables

Receivables have been recognized for all significant amounts due to the Township. Allowances for uncollectible accounts have not been provided for in that collection is not considered doubtful and any uncollected amount would be immaterial.

Inventories

Inventories of supplies are considered to be immaterial and are not recorded.

Property Taxes

Property taxes and other revenue that are both measurable and available for use to finance operations are recorded as revenue when earned.

Properties are assessed as of December 31 and the related property taxes become a lien on December 1 of the following year. These taxes are due on February 14 with the final collection date of February 28 before they are added to the county tax rolls. The Township 2004 tax roll millage rate was 4.1850 mills, and the taxable value was \$75.359,739.00.

Encumbrances

Encumbrances involving the current recognition of purchase orders, contracts and other commitments for future expenditures are not recorded.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2005

Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Capital Assets

Capital assets are defined by the Township as assets with an initial cost of more than \$1,000.00 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost. Donated assets are reported at estimated fair market value at the date of donation. Additions, improvements and other capital outlays that significantly extend the useful life of an asset are capitalized. Other costs incurred for repairs and maintenance are expensed as incurred. Depreciation on all assets is provided on the straight-line basis over the following estimated useful lives:

Buildings, additions and improvements Furniture and equipment

40-60 years 3-5 years

Compensated Absences (Vacation and Sick Leave)

Township employees are not allowed to accumulate vacation and sick pay and therefore no accumulated amount is recorded in the financial statements.

Post-employment Benefits

The Township provides no post-employment benefits to past employees.

Fund Equity

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

Note 2 - Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The following procedures are followed in establishing the budgetary data reflected in these general purpose financial statements:

- 1. Prior to the beginning of the fiscal year, the proposed budget for each budgetary fund is submitted to the Township Board for consideration.
- 2. The proposed budgets include expenditures as well as the methods of financing them.
- 3. Public hearings are held to obtain taxpayer comments.
- 4. The budgets are adopted at the activity level by a majority vote of the Township Board.
- 5. The budgets are adopted on the modified accrual basis of accounting.
- 6. The originally adopted budgets can be amended during the year only by a majority vote of the Township Board.
- 7. The adopted budgets are used as a management control device during the year for all budgetary funds.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2005

Note 2 - Budgets and Budgetary Accounting (continued)

- 8. Budget appropriations lapse at the end of each fiscal year.
- 9. The budgeted amounts shown in these general purpose financial statements are the originally adopted budgets with all amendments that were approved by the Township Board during the fiscal year.

Note 3 - Deposits and Investments

Michigan Compiled Laws, Section 129.91, authorizes the Township to deposit and invest in the accounts of federally insured banks, credit unions, and savings and loan associations; bonds, securities and other direct obligations of the United States, or any agency or instrumentality of the United States; United States government or federal agency obligation repurchase agreements; banker's acceptance of United States banks; commercial paper rated within the two highest classifications, which mature not more than 270 days after the date purchase; obligations of the State of Michigan or its political subdivisions which are rated as investment grade; and mutual funds composed of investment vehicles which are legal for direct investment by local units of government in Michigan. Financial institutions eligible for deposit of public funds must maintain an office in Michigan.

The Township Board has designated two banks for the deposit of Township funds. The investment policy adopted by the board in accordance with Public Act 196 of 1997 has authorized investment in all investments authorized by state law as listed above.

The Township's deposits and investments are in accordance with statutory authority.

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 3, risk disclosures for the cash deposits are as follows:

Total Deposits

Amounts

Total Deposits

Amounts in the bank balances are without considering deposits in transit or uncleared checks.

Bank
Balances

Insured (FDIC)

100 000 00

Uninsured and Uncollateralized 851 921 87

Total Deposits 951 921 87

The Township's investments are categorized below to give an indication of the level of risk assumed by the Township. Risk category 1 includes those investments that meet any one of the following criteria: insured, registered, or held by the Township or its agent. Risk categories 2 and 3 include investments that are neither insured nor registered. Category 2 includes investments that are held by the counterparty's trust department (or agent) in the Township's name. Category 3 includes investments held by the

counterparty or the counterparty's trust department (or agent) but not in the Township's name.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2005

Note 3 - Deposits and Investments (continued)

The GASB Statement No. 3 risk disclosures for the Township's investments are categorized as follows:

	(1)	(2)	(3)	Carrying Amount
Investment Type				
Risk-Categorized: Operating Funds			-	
Total Risk-Categorized Investments	-			-
Nonrisk-Categorized: Financial Institution Pooled Funds				603 432 08
Total Investments			-	603 432 08

The financial institution pooled funds are not categorized because they are not evidenced by securities that exist in physical or book entry form. Management believes that the investments in the funds comply with the investment authority noted above.

Note 4 - Interfund Receivables and Payables

The amounts of interfund receivables and payables are as follows:

<u>Fund</u>	interfund Receivable	<u>Fund</u>	Interfund Payable
General Road Fire Senior services	102 813 80 156 653 32 79 436 74 18 716 27		
Water	11 650 23	Current Tax Collection	<u>369 270 36</u>
Total	369 270 36	Total	369 270 36

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2005

Note 5 - Capital Assets

Capital asset activity of the Township's Governmental and Business-Type activities for the current year was as follows:

	Balance 1/1/05	Additions	Deletions	Balance 12/31/05
Governmental Activities:				
Land	24 629 00	~	-	24 629 00
Buildings	277 891 00	-	-	277 891 00
Equipment	21 096 00	1 359 00	-	22 455 00
Total	323 616 00	1 359 00	•	324 975 00
Accumulated Depreciation	(123 600 00)	(8 399 00)		(131 999 00)
Net Governmental Capital Assets	200 016 00	(7 040 00)		<u>192 976 00</u>
Business-Type Activities:				
Water System	471 511 00	-	-	471 511 00
Accumulated Depreciation	(94 300 00)	(9 430 00)		(103 730 00)
Net Business-Type Capital Assets	<u>377 211 00</u>	(9 430 00)		<u>367 781 00</u>

Note 6 - Deferred Compensation Plan

The Township does not have a deferred compensation plan.

Note 7 - Pension Plan

The Township has a defined contribution pension plan covering substantially all full time employees. The Township contributes a portion of each employee's annual salary to the plan and the employees contribute an equal amount. Pension expense for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005, was \$6,365.10.

Note 8 - Changes in Long-Term Debt

A summary of changes in long-term debt follows:

-	Balance 1/1/05	Additions	<u>Deductions</u>	Balance 12/31/05
Contract payable -				
Ottawa County	300 000 00	-	20 000 00	280 000 00
Contract payable - roads	85 232 55	-	5 370 27	79 862 28
Total	385 232 55	*	<u>25 370 27</u>	359 862 28

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2005

Note 9 - Contract Payable - Ottawa County

On March 1, 1998, the Township entered into an agreement with the County of Ottawa whereby the Township agreed to pay amounts to the County to enable the County to make bond principal and interest payments to retire the 1998 bond issue in the principal amount of \$395,000.00. The bonds were issued to fund part of the cost of a water system extension within the Township. The bonds bear interest at the rate of 2.5% per annum. As of December 31, 2005, \$280,000.00 of the bond principal remained outstanding.

Dı	ue	Principal
D:	ate	Amount
	4-1-06	20 000 00
	4-1-07	20 000 00
	4-1-08	20 000 00
	4-1-09	20 000 00
	4-1-10	20 000 00
	4-1-11	20 000 00
	4-1-12	20 000 00
	4-1-13	20 000 00
	4-1-14	20 000 00
	4-1-15	25 000 00
	4-1-16	25 000 00
	4-1-17	25 000 00
	4-1-18	25 000 00
Total		280 000 00

Note 10 - Contract Payable - Roads

The Charter Township of Polkton entered into a contract with the Ottawa County Road Commission to finance bridge improvements. The contract requires annual payments in varying amounts. As of December 31, 2005, the principal balance outstanding on this contract payable is \$79,862.28.

Note 11 - Risk Management

The Township is exposed to various risks of loss related to property loss, torts, errors, omissions, and employee injuries (workers' compensation). The Township has purchased commercial insurance for property loss, torts and workers' compensation claims. Settled claims relating to the commercial insurance have not exceeded the amount of insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

Note 12 - Transfers In and Transfers Out

For the fiscal year ended, December 31, 2005, the Township made the following interfund transfers:

	<u>Transfers in </u>	Transfers Out
Public Improvement Fund	-	10 000 00
Fire Fund	†0 000 00	-
General Fund	-	10 400 00
Water Fund	10 400 00	
Total	20 400 00	20 400 00

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2005

Note 13 - Building Permits

As of December 31, 2005, the Township had building permit revenues of \$32,564.00 and building permit expenses of \$29,362.00.

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE - GENERAL FUND Year ended December 31, 2005

	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget Over (Under)
Revenues:	Dadget	Dagget	7.01441	(Ondoi)
Property taxes	72 571 00	72 571 00	75 524 30	2 953 30
Licenses and permits	23 387 00	33 387 00	33 114 00	(273 00)
State revenue sharing	155 000 00	155 000 00	161 954 00	6 954 00
Charges for services:				
Property tax administration	20 000 00	20 000 00	22 883 00	2 883 00
Landfill	108 500 00	108 500 00	101 910 83	(6 589 17)
Interest	6 000 00	6 000 00	19 629 06	13 629 06
Rents	1 300 00	1 300 00	1 750 00	450 00
Special assessments	2 300 00	2 300 00	1 997 51	(302 49)
Miscellaneous	6 420 00	6 420 00	<u>25 581 81</u>	<u>19 161 81</u>
Total revenues	<u>395 478 00</u>	405 478 00	444 344 51	38 866 51
Expenditures:				
Legislative:	132 700 00	124 650 00	75 594 60	(40.055.40)
Township Board	132 700 00	124 650 00	75 594 60	(49 055 40)
General government: Supervisor	13 000 00	13 000 00	12 900 00	(100 00)
Elections	3 000 00	3 000 00	1 191 38	(1 808 62)
Assessor	18 000 00	18 000 00	17 799 81	(200 19)
Clerk	17 600 00	17 600 00	17 315 87	(284 13)
Board of Review	1 200 00	1 200 00	991 52	(208 48)
Treasurer	18 800 00	19 650 00	19 488 73	(161 27)
Building and grounds	12 300 00	12 300 00	7 611 21	(4 688 79)
Cemetery	11 600 00	11 600 00	11 600 00	-
Public safety:	,, 000 00	1. 000 00		
Police protection	15 000 00	17 700 00	16 173 69	(1 526 31)
Fire protection	70 100 00	70 100 00	-	(70 100 00)
Ambulance	20 000 00	24 500 00	24 480 00	(20 00)
Protective inspection	21 000 00	31 000 00	29 362 00	(1 638 00)
Planning Commission	5 000 00	5 000 00	4 012 27	(987 73)
Zoning Board of Appeals	2 400 00	2 400 00	1 223 32	(1 176 68)
Public works:				
Highways and streets	368 515 00	368 515 00	21 384 48	(347 130 52)
Street lighting	2 500 00	2 500 00	2 393 66	(106 34)
Drains	2 000 00	2 000 00	1 848 95	(151 05)
Other:				
Payroll taxes	2 000 00	2 000 00	1 406 73	(593 27)
Capital outlay	2 800 00	2 800 00	1 359 00	(1 441 00)
Total expenditures	739 515 00	749 515 00	268 137 22	(481 377 78)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues				
over expenditures	(344 037 00)	(344 037 00)	<u>176 207 29</u>	520 244 29

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE - GENERAL FUND Year ended December 31, 2005

Other financing courses (upper)	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget Over (Under)
Other financing sources (uses): Transfers in	406 546 00	406 546 00		(406 546 00)
7.5			(10.100.00)	
Transfers out	(16 900 00)	(16 900 00)	(10 400 00)	6 500 00
Total other financing sources (uses)	389 646 00	<u>389 646 00</u>	(10 400 00)	(400 046 00)
Excess of revenues and other sources over expenditures and other uses	45 609 00	45 609 00	165 807 29	120 198 29
Fund balance, January 1	442 943 00	442 943 00	496 977 60	<u>54 034 60</u>
Fund Balance, December 31	488 552 00	488 552 00	662 784 89	<u>174 232 89</u>

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE - ROAD FUND Year ended December 31, 2005

				Variance with Final Budget
	Original	Final		Over
	Budget	Budget	Actual	(Under)
Revenues:				
Property taxes	148 609 00	148 609 00	147 919 94	(689 06)
State revenue sharing	4 991 00	4 991 00	5 370 27	379 27
Interest	2 000 00	2 000 00	<u>5 889 67</u>	3 889 67
Total revenues	155 600 00	<u>155 600 00</u>	159 179 88	3 579 88
Expenditures:				
Public works:	004 040 00	000 446 00	300 460 07	(20.005.02)
Highways and streets	331 046 00	330 446 00		(29 985 93)
Debt service	5 400 00	6 000 00	5 370 27	(629 73)
Total expenditures	336 446 00	336 446 00	305 830 34	(30 615 66)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues				
over expenditures	(180 846 00)	(180 846 00)	(146 650 46)	<u>34 195 54</u>
Other financing sources (uses):				
Operating transfers out	(4 991 00)	(4 991 00)	-	4 991 00
Total other financing sources (uses)	(4 991 00)	(4 991 00)		4 991 00
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other sources over expenditures				
and other uses	(185 837 00)	(185 837 00)	(146 650 46)	39 186 54
Fund balance, January 1	<u> 185 837 00</u>	<u>185 837 00</u>	186 199 96	362 96
Fund Balance, December 31	-		39 549 50	<u>39 549 50</u>

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE - FIRE FUND Year ended December 31, 2005

	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget Over (Under)
Revenues:	Dudget	Dauget	Aotuai	(Olidel)
Property taxes	75 359 00	75 359 00	75 007 80	(351 20)
Interest	41 00	41 00	1 132 04	1 091 04
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Total revenues	75 400 00	75 400 00	76 139 84	739 84
Expenditures: Public safety:				(724.24)
Fire protection	70 100 00	<u>70 100 00</u>	69 568 66	(531 34)
Total expenditures	70 100 00	70 100 00	69 568 66	(531 34)
Excess of revenues over expenditures	5 300 00	5 300 00	6 571 18	1 271 18
Other financing sources (uses): Operating transfers in Total other financing sources (uses)	10 000 00 10 000 00	10 000 00 10 000 00	10 000 00 10 000 00	
Excess of revenues and other sources over expenditures and other uses	15 300 00	15 300 00	16 571 18	1 271 18
Fund balance, January 1	-	-	***	
Fund Balance, December 31	15 300 00	<u>15 300 00</u>	<u>16 571 18</u>	1 271 18

GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES BY DETAILED ACCOUNT Year ended December 31, 2005

Township Board:	
Wages	4 140 00
Administrative assistant	1 092 50
Supplies	1 682 64
Professional services Legal	4 600 00 25 861 00
Printing and publishing	3 656 41
Computer service	1 625 95
Insurance	9 071 00
Pension Miscellaneous	6 365 10
Memberships and dues	14 340 15 1 657 85
Education	1 502 00
	75 594 60
Supervisor: Salary	10 000 00
Salaty	12 900 00
Elections	1 191 38
Assessor:	
Salary	14 400 00
Office supplies	3 399 81
	17 799 81
Clerk: Salary – Clerk	40.075.00
Expenses	16 975 00 340 87
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Board of Review	991 52
Treasurer:	
Salary	15 875 00
Expenses	3 613 73
Building and grounds:	<u>19 488 73</u>
Utilities	4 856 37
Repairs and maintenance	2 108 00
Miscellaneous	646 84
	<u>7 611 21</u>
Cemetery	11 600 00
Deline must extra	
Police protection	16 173 69
Ambulance	24 480 00
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Protective inspection	29 362 00
Planning Commission	4 012 27
Zoning Board of Appeals	
	1 223 32
Highways and streets	21 384 48

GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES BY DETAILED ACCOUNT Year ended December 31, 2005

Street lighting	2 393 66
Drains	1 848 95
Payroll taxes	1 406 73
Capital outlay	1 359 00
Total Expenditures	<u>268 137 22</u>

COMBINING BALANCE SHEET – ALL SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS December 31, 2005

<u>Assets</u>	Road	Fire	Public Improvement	Senior Services
Investments Prepaid expenses Due from other funds	39 549 50 - 156 653 32	16 571 18 - - 79 436 74	39 166 86 - -	- 1 137 67 <u>18 716 27</u>
Total Assets	196 202 82	96 007 92	<u>39 166 86</u>	19 853 94
Liabilities and Fund Balances				
Liabilities: Deferred revenue Total liabilities	156 653 32 156 653 32	79 436 74 79 436 74		19 853 94 19 853 94
Fund balances: Unreserved: Undesignated Total fund balances	39 549 50 39 549 50	16 571 18 16 571 18	39 166 86 39 166 86	
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	196 202 82	96 007 92	<u>39 166 86</u>	<u>19 853 94</u>

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Total

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES – ALL SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS December 31, 2005

	Road	Fire	Fublic Improvement	Senior Services
Revenues:	147 919 94	75 007 80	_	18 746 98
Property taxes State revenue sharing	5 370 27	75 007 00	- -	-
Interest	5 88 <u>9 67</u>	1 132 04	1 181 42	-
Total revenues	159 179 88	<u>76 139 84</u>	1 181 42	18 746 98
Expenditures:				
Public safety:				
Fire protection	-	69 568 66	-	-
Public works:	300 460 07	_	_	_
Highways and streets Other:	300 400 07	•	-	-
Senior services	_	-	_	18 746 98
Debt service	5 370 27	-	-	_
Total expenditures	305 830 34	69 568 66	-	18 746 98
Excess (deficiency) of revenues				
over expenditures	(146 650 46)	6 571 18	1 181 42	_
over experiences	(140 000 40)			-
Other financing sources (uses):				
Operating transfers in	-	10 000 00	-	-
Operating transfers out		•	(10 000 00)	
Total other financing sources (uses)	-	10 000 00	(10 000 00)	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and				
other sources over expenditures and other uses	(146 650 46)	16 571 18	(8 818 58)	-
Fund balances, January 1	186 199 96	-	47 985 44	-
Fund Balances, December 31	39 549 50	<u>16 571 18</u>	39 166 86	••

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234	185	40
95	287	54

Total

CURRENT TAX COLLECTION FUND SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES Year ended December 31, 2005

	Balance 1/1/05	Additions	Deductions	Balance 12/31/05
<u>Assets</u>			and the second s	
Cash in bank	671 228 18	2 262 049 44	2 309 079 98	624 197 64
Taxes receivable	1 194 904 94	<u>2 485 860 87</u>	2 382 315 60	<u>1 298 450 21</u>
Total Assets	<u>1 866 133 12</u>	4 747 910 31	4 691 395 58	1 922 647 85
<u>Liabilities</u>				
Due to other funds	333 043 55	373 599 49	337 372 68	369 270 36
Due to others	<u>1 533 089 57</u>	4 374 310 82	4 354 022 90	<u>1 553 377 49</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>1 866 133 12</u>	4 747 910 31	4 691 395 58	1 922 647 85

CURRENT TAX COLLECTION FUND SCHEDULE OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS Year ended December 31, 2005

Cash in bank – beginning of year	<u>671 228 18</u>
Cash receipts: Tax collections – 2004 tax roll Tax collections – 2005 tax roll Interest Total cash receipts	1 061 523 85 1 197 076 34 3 449 25 2 262 049 44
Total beginning balance and cash receipts	2 933 277 62
Cash disbursements: Township General Fund Township Road Fund Township Water Fund Township Fire Fund Township Senior Services Fund Ottawa County Northeast Ottawa District Library Ottawa Area Intermediate School District Coopersville Area Public Schools Refunds of overpayments Total cash disbursements	98 319 84 140 115 74 10 408 37 71 050 48 17 478 30 831 723 32 41 136 82 295 307 29 784 549 29 18 990 53 2 309 079 98
Cash in Bank – End of Year	<u>624 197 64</u>

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AUDIT COMMUNICATION AND REPORT OF COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

March 31, 2006

To the Township Board Charter Township of Polkton Ottawa County, Michigan

We have audited the financial statements of the Charter Township of Polkton for the year ended December 31, 2005. As required by auditing standards generally accepted in the United States, the independent auditor is required to make several communications to the governing body having oversight responsibility for the audit. The purpose of this communication is to provide you with additional information regarding the scope and results of our audit that may assist you with your oversight responsibilities of the financial reporting process for which management is responsible.

AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITY UNDER AUDITING STANDARDS GENERALLY ACCEPTED IN THE UNITED STATES

We conducted our audit of the financial statements of the Charter Township of Polkton in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States. The following paragraph explains our responsibilities under those standards.

Management has the responsibility for adopting sound accounting policies, for maintaining an adequate and effective system of accounts, for the safeguarding of assets, and for devising an internal control structure that will, among other things, help assure the proper recording of transactions. The transactions that should be reflected in the accounts and in the financial statements are matters within the direct knowledge and control of management. Our knowledge of such transactions is limited to that acquired through our audit. Accordingly, the fairness of representations made through the financial statements is an implicit and integral part of management's accounts and records. However, our responsibility for the financial statements is confined to the expression of an opinion on them. The financial statements remain the responsibility of management.

The concept of materiality is inherent in the work of an independent auditor. An auditor places greater emphasis on those items that have, on a relative basis, more importance to the financial statements and greater possibilities of material error than those items of lesser importance or those in which the possibility of material error is remote.

For this purpose, materiality has been defined as "the magnitude of an omission or misstatement of accounting information that, in light of surrounding circumstances, makes it probable that the judgment of a reasonable person relying on the information would have been changed or influenced by the omission or misstatement."

An independent auditor's objective in an audit is to obtain sufficient competent evidential matter to provide a reasonable basis for forming an opinion on the financial statements. In doing so, the auditor must work within economic limits; the opinion, to be economically useful, must be formed within a reasonable length of time and at reasonable cost. That is why an auditor's work is based on selected tests rather than an attempt to verify all transactions. Since evidence is examined on a test basis only, an audit provides only reasonable assurance, rather than absolute assurance, that financial statements are free of material misstatement. Thus, there is a risk that audited financial statements may contain undiscovered material errors or fraud. The existence of that risk is implicit in the phrase in the audit report, "in our opinion."

To the Township Board Charter Township of Polkton Ottawa County, Michigan

In the audit process, we gain an understanding of the internal control structure of an entity for the purpose of assisting in determining the nature, timing, and extent of audit testing. Our understanding is obtained by inquiry of management, testing transactions, and observation and review of documents and records. The amount of work done is not sufficient to provide a basis for an opinion on the adequacy of the internal control structure.

SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The significant accounting policies are described in Note 1 to the financial statements.

OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

Auditing standards call for us to inform you of other significant issues such as, but not limited to, 1) Accounting estimates that are particularly sensitive because of their significance to the financial statements or because of the possibility that future events affecting them may differ markedly from management's current judgments; 2) Significant audit adjustments that may not have been detected except through the auditing procedures we performed; 3) Disagreements with management regarding the scope of the audit or application of accounting principles; 4) Consultation with other accountants; 5) Major issues discussed with management prior to retention; and 6) Difficulties encountered in performing the audit.

We have no significant issues, regarding these matters, to report to you at this time. Audit adjustments were minimal, and are available to review.

COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATION REGARDING INTERNAL CONTROLS/ COMPLIANCE/ EFFICIENCY

Our procedures disclosed the following conditions that we would like to bring to your attention:

SEGREGATION OF DUTIES

A separation of duties between persons who authorize transactions and persons who have control over the related assets does not always exist.

The least desirable accounting system is one in which an employee is responsible for executing the transaction and then recording the transaction from its origin to its ultimate posting in the General Ledger. This increases the likelihood that intentional or unintentional errors will go undetected. In most cases, adequate segregation of duties substantially increases control over errors without duplication of effort.

We understand that due to the size of needed staff, a proper segregation of duties may be impractical and the "cost to benefit" relationship may not justify the addition of accounting staff to accomplish the desired segregation.

These conditions were considered in determining the nature, timing and extent of the audit tests to be applied in our audit of the Township's financial statements and this communication of these matters does not affect our report on the Township's financial statements, dated December 31, 2005.

SUMMARY

We welcome any questions you may have regarding the foregoing comments and we would be happy to discuss any of these or other questions that you might have at your convenience.

Sincerely,

CAMPBELL, KUSTERER & CO., P.C.

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Certified Public Accountants